



PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 9136.0007-00

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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VANNIASINKAM, Joseph et al.) Group Art Unit: 2883
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Application No.: 10/028,419) Examiner: KIANNI, Kaveh C.
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Filed: December 21, 2001) Confirmation No.: 3557
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For: GRATING BASED)
MULTIPLEXER/DEMULTIPLEXER)
COMPONENT)

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants petition for a one month extension of time to reply to the Office action of November 28, 2005. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee of \$120.00 to Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

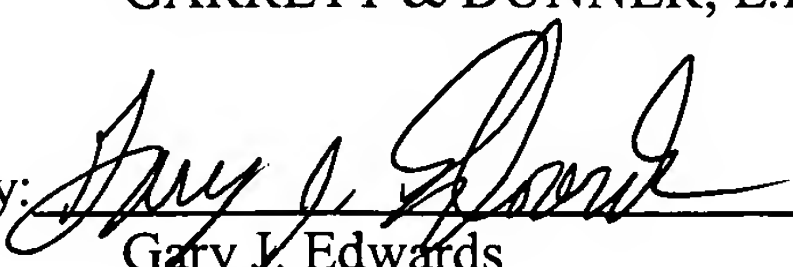
Respectfully submitted,

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